# **Project Public Information Handout**

# WIS 57 Mid Junction – Baileys Harbor Door County

Project ID: 4150-26-00



**Handout Date: April 2021** 

This handout and other items are available on the design website at: https://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/projects/by-region/ne/57door/default.aspx

Thank you for your interest in this project. We look forward to your feedback.

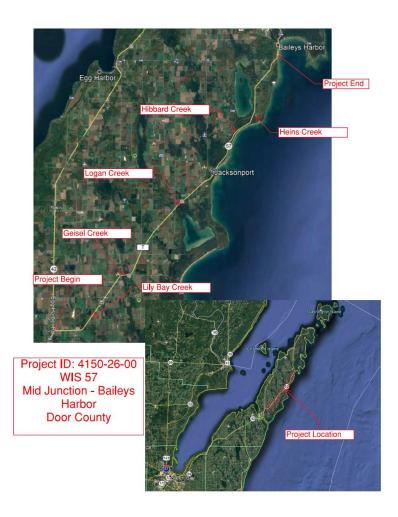
## Purpose of the handout

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is seeking public feedback on the below design proposal for construction on WIS 57 in Door County. The purpose of this outreach is to obtain your input on the identified needs and proposed improvements along WIS 57 between Mid Junction and Baileys Harbor in Door County. There will be no in-person public meeting due to the current health emergency. We appreciate your input and encourage you take a moment to review the project information and provide comment.

### **Project information**

WisDOT is proposing to improve 4 culverts and potentially 1 additional culvert (Heins Creek crossing depending on grant money award) on WIS 57. The project is a culvert replacement improvement project. The purpose of this project is to address deteriorating culverts and other roadway deficiencies along WIS 57 from Mid Junction to Baileys Harbor.

#### **WIS 57 Location Map**



#### **Project website**

A website has been developed so that you may review information related to the project. The website hosts project overview information, design exhibits, detour routes, and a comment form that you may use to submit comments via email or regular mail.

Website: https://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/projects/by-region/ne/57door/default.aspx

#### **Proposed traffic impacts**

Construction is currently scheduled to begin in 2024.

During construction, WIS 57 will be closed to traffic at each stream crossing. During the construction of the Lily Bay Creek and Geisel Creek crossings, the proposed detour follows WIS 42 and County Road I. During the construction of the Logan Creek crossing, the proposed detour follows County Road T and County Road I. During the construction of the Hibbard Creek and Heins Creek crossings, the proposed detour follows County Road V, County Road A, and County Road E. Detour route displays are included on the project website.

Construction is currently scheduled for completion in 2024.

#### Real estate

Right of way acquisition in the form of Permanent Ownership (FEE), Permanent Limited Easements (PLEs) and Temporary Limited Easements (TLEs) will be needed for the construction of the culverts and the removal, replacement or installation of beam guard.

Preliminary right of way impacts are shown on the project displays included on the project website. WisDOT expects to begin real estate acquisition in Fall 2021.

# Project update/next steps

Public Involvement April 2021
 Final Environmental Document June 2021
 Final Plans August 2023

Construction (current schedule)
 Spring/Summer/Fall 2024

#### Businesses

If you own a business that may be affected by the closures of WIS 57, please see the department's website link below for tools and resources that can help make your business a continued success during the project's construction.

https://wisconsindot.gov/Pages/projects/in-together/default.aspx

#### **Public input/comments**

The public comment period for this project runs through May 12, 2021. Please submit comments to WisDOT using one of the following methods so that we receive them by the comment period due date:

- Fill out the comment form attached to this document and mail to WisDOT.
- 2. Email comments or questions to the contacts listed below.
- 3. Call any of the contacts below.

Your comments assist us in developing a project that will serve the needs of the traveling public as well as the needs of the local community. Your input is welcome and appreciated throughout the design process.

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